IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Virette et al.

Art Unit: 2626

Application No. 10/582,025

Examiner: Greg Borsetti

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For: AN OPTIMIZED MULTIPLE CODING METHOD

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF FEBRUARY 27, 2009

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action of February 27, 2009, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 12 of this paper.